OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF LABOUR IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

WORKING CLASS COST OF LIVING INDEX NUMBER FOR MYSORE CITY FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER 1948.

A Rise of 10·8 points.

The Cost of Living Index Number for the month of December 1948 works up to 320·9 points registering a rise of 10·8 points above the previous month's figures.

1 As compared with the previous month the Index Number of the Food Group advanced by 18·4 points to 371·7 due to a rise in the prices of ragi, avaredhal, bengalgram dhal, meat, vegetables, jaggery, chillies, tamarind, coffee, garlic, greengram, cocoanut, ghee and groundnut oil.

2 The Index Number of the fuel and lighting, group went up to 222·5 points recording a rise of 5·6 points over the previous month's figures due to a rise in the prices of firewood and matches.

3 The index number of the clothing group decreased by 2·4 points to 223·7 due to a fall in the price of cloth for pyjama.

4 The index Numbers of the house-rent group remained constant.

5 The index Number of the miscellaneous group declined by 6·2 points to 276·7 owing to a fall in the prices of supari and soapnut powder.

(Average prices from July 1935 to June 1936=100).

Names of the Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Average price per unit of quantity: Year ended June 1946	November 1948	Dec. 1948	Index Numbers: November 1948	Dec. 1948
Food—			Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.		
1 Raw Rice ...	Seer measure	23·4	0 2 0	0 6 5	0 6 5	321	321
2 Ragi ...	,,	17·7	0 1 2	0 4 7	0 5 6	393	471
3 Tur Dhal ...	,,	5·5	0 2 9	0 12 3	0 12 2	445	442
4 Avare Dhal ...	,,	1·7	0 2 1	0 12 9	0 13 3	612	636
5 Bengalgram Dhal	,,	1·6	0 2 0	0 12 5	0 13 4	621	667
6 Greengram ...	,,	1·5	0 1 10	0 11 4	0 11 7	618	632
7 Salt ..	,,	1·1	0 1 3	0 2 0	0 2 0	160	160
8 Coriander ...	,,	1·8	0 1 3	0 5 2	0 4 11	413	393
9 Milk ...	,,	3·9	0 4 0	0 6 5	0 6 5	160	160
10 Curds ...	,,	2·8	0 2 0	0 3 0	0 3 0	150	150
11 Wheat ...	,,	1·2	0 2 3	0 6 6	0 6 6	289	289
12 Meat ...	2 lbs. wt.	10·3	0 8 0	2 3 0	2 4 0	438	450
13 Vegetables ...	Viss	5·3	0 2 8	0 7 3	0 8 9	272	328
14 Onions ...	,,	1·8	0 1 6	0 5 3	0 5 3	350	350
15 Jaggery ...	,,	1·5	0 4 4	0 8 7	0 10 1	198	233
16 Chillies ...	,,	3·4	0 7 6	2 5 11	2 8 4	506	538
17 Tamarind ...	,,	1·0	0 2 9	0 8 11	0 9 4	324	339
18 Sugar ...	Seer wt.	1·6	0 1 4	0 4 8	0 4 6	350	338
19 Coffee seeds ...	,,	2·0	0 5 1	1 11 9	1 2 3	546	359
20 Ghee ...	,,	1·5	0 6 9	0 11 5	0 11 8	169	173
21 Groundnut oil ...	,,	1·2	0 1 4	0 6 5	0 6 6	481	488
22 Garlic ...	,,	0·6	0 2 0	0 7 6	0 8 4	375	417
23 Cocoanut ...	Each	1·3	0 1 2	0 2 11	0 3 5	250	293
24 Ready made coffee	Cup	6·3	0 0 9	0 1 5	0 1 6	189	200
Total ...		100·0	...	...	...	...	...
Index Number—All Food Articles ...		..	...	...	...	353·7	371·7
Fuel and Lighting—							
1 Firewood ...	Maund	64·0	0 2 3	0 4 9	0 4 11	211	219
2 Kerosene Oil ...	Bottle	10·8	0 2 4	0 4 0	0 4 0	171	171
3 Castor Oil ...	Seer wt.	2·8	0 2 3	0 12 3	0 10 11	544	485
4 Matches(50 sticks).	Dozen	2·4	0 3 4	0 8 4	0 9 0	250	270
Total ...		100·0	...	...	...	...	...
Index Number—Fuel and Lighting		...	...	...	...	216·9	222·5
Clothing—							
1 Dhoties ...	Pair	8·1	2 1 9	4 14 1	4 14 1	231	231
2 Coating	Yard	21·6	0 6 1	1 2 6	1 2 6	304	304
3 Shirting ...	,,	18·3	0 4 3	0 8 3	0 8 3	194	194
4 Cloth for Pyjama, etc.	,,	4·8	0 4 11	0 13 6	0 11 0	275	224
5 Cloth for Jackets, etc.	,,	12·0	0 5 4	1 2 6	1 2 6	347	347
6 Sarees ...	Each	35·2	4 7 0	6 8 0	6 8 0	146	146
Total ...		100·0	...	...	...	...	...
Index Number—Clothing ...		...	...	...	...	226·1	223·7
House Rent—							
House rent ...		100·0	1 7 2	1 7 2	1 7 2	100	100
Total ...		100·0	...	...	...	...	...
Index Number—House rent ...		..	...	...	...	100.0	100.0

	Names of the Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Average price Per unit of quantity: Year ended June 1946	November 1948	Dec. 1948	Index Numbers: November 1948	Dec. 1948
				Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.		
	Miscellaneous—							
1	Barber ...	One shave	12·2	0 1 0	0 2 0	0 2 0	200	200
2	Washing Soap ...	Bar ...	11·7	0 4 0	1 4 6	1 4 6	513	513
3	Soapnut powder ...	Viss ...	5·4	0 6 2	1 9 0	1 6 4	405	362
4	Supari ...	Seer wt. ...	11·2	0 3 5	1 0 [illegible]	0 [illegible] 4	470	420
5	Beedies ...	Bundle ...	[illegible]	0 1 0	0 [illegible] 5	0 [illegible] 6	242	250
6	Amusements ...	[illegible]	[illegible]	0 2 0	0 3 0	0 3 0	150	150
7	Subscriptions ...	...	9·4	0 11 0	0 11 0	0 11 0	100	100
8	Charges for grinding	Seer measure	5·0	0 0 1	0 0 3	0 0 3	300	300
	Total	...	100·0	...	...	...	...	...
	Index Number—Miscellaneous ...		...	...	...	...	282·9	276·7

	Groups	Weights proportional to total expenditure	Group Index Numbers: Novembr 1948	Dec. 1948
1	Food ...	62·5	354·5	371·7
2	Fuel and Lighting ...	9·4	216·9	222·5
3	Clothing ...	8·0	226·1	223·7
4	House Rent ...	3·3	100·0	100·0
5	Miscellaneous ...	16·8	282·9	276·7
	Total ...	100·0	...	...
	Cost of Living Index Number ...	...	310·1	320·9

8192 MOHAMED ISMAIL SHERIFF, *Commr. of Labour.*

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF FOOD SUPPLIES IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Notification dated 21st January 1949.

No. B2. C. 3030—48.49. In exercise of the powers vested in the undersigned under Government Notification No. S. D. 5402—C. 117-48-2, dated 7th January 1949, the Deputy Commissioners of Districts, the Chief Rationing Officers of Mysore City and Bangalore Civil Station, the Rationing Officers and the Assistant Rationing Officers and the Amildars in charge of taluks are hereby authorised to issue the necessary permits for hulling of private paddy to the extent of the quantity allowed for personal consumption in each case in rice mills and hullers as contemplated in the aforesaid Government Notification.

8231 S. ABDUL KHADER, *Addl. Director.*

OFFICE OF THE SPECIAL OFFICER, FUEL SUPPLIES, BANGALORE CITY.

Notice dated 19th January 1949.

No. F. Mis. 248—46-7. Order under sub-rule (2) of Rule 75 (A) of the Defence of India Rules regarding requisitioning Casuarinafuel in the following property :—

Sl. No.	District	Taluk	Hobly	Village	Survey No.	Extent	No. of trees	Age of trees Ysars	Estimated yield Tons	Owner or owners
1	Bangalore ...	Hoskote ...	Jadigenahally.	Kotaganahally and Devaragollahally.	...	6-0	4,200	6	50	Janab Abdul Khaym, son of Janab Abdul Karim Sab, Hoskote.
2	Kolar ...	Malur ...	Kasaba ...	Jodi Bechirak Gangasandra.	...	6-0	5,000	6	100	Janab Mohamed Saleha, Masti, Malur Taluk.
3	Bangalore ...	Hoskote ...	Nandagudi ...	Karappanahally ...	80	1-0	2,800	9	85	(1) Sri Devakaraiah, (2) Ibrahim beig, (3) Chinna Reddy.
4	Bangalore ...	Hoskote ...	Jadigenahally...	Kamarasanahally...	18—2	2·0	1,600	9	50	(1) Sri Venkata Ravanappa Kamarasanahally son of Pujari Thammanna, (2) Janab Abdul Khayim Khan, son of Janab Dastagiri Khan, Kattigenahally.
5	Kolar ...	Malur ...	Narasapur ...	Jodi Ramanahally...	...	6-0	4,000	7	130	Sri Jayachar Jodidar (2) Chickvecrappa, son of Chowdegowda
6	Kolar ...	Malur ...	Lakkur ...	Chlok Tirupathy ...	74-91	1-38	1,100	10	120	Sri Balakrishnappa, (2) Janab Ameer Sab, Gangalur.

Whereas it has become necessary, with a view to maintain fuel supplies essential to the life of the community in Bangalore City, to requisition the fuel—available in the property described above, notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern and all others interested therein, that I, A. S. Ramanna Esq., B.A., Special Officer, Fuel Supplies, Bangalore City, in exercise of the powers vested in me as per G. O. No. S. D. 107078 C. 78-46-58, dated 15th June 1947, under Rule 75 (A), Defence of India Rules as applied to Mysore and continued under the Supplies, Services and Miscellaneous Provisions (Temprary Powers), Emergency Act, 1946, have decided to acquire the above-mentioned fuel—an pursuances of sub-rule 2 thereof. I furtherd irect that to avoid all delay, this notice be published in the Gazette under the same sub-rule.

2 You are hereby directed to arrange *to cut* and transport and deliver all the fuel available therein to the undersigned at the Weighbridge Bangalore City. You should deliver notless than 20 tons before 25th January 1949 and thereafter 20 tons per week till the supply is exhausted. You will be paid compensation at prevalent rates.

3 Under sub-rule 2 of the Rule 75 (A) of the above-said rules you are prohibited from disposing of the fuel or any part of it to any other party without the written permission of the undersigned.

4 The property requisitioned vests in Government free of all encumbrances immediately after the service of notice on you, or after the date of publication of the notice in the Official Gazette, whichever is earlier.

5 If, to your knowledge, others are interested in this property, you should notify in writing this office *before taking compensation.*

6 If you fail to arrange for cutting or transporting the fuel as per paragraph 2 *supra*, a Government Agent will be appointed to cut and transport the commodity and out of the compensation otherwise due to you, the expenses of the Government agent will be deducted.